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(54) **ENCODING METHOD, DECODING METHOD, ENCODING APPARATUS, AND DECODING APPARATUS**

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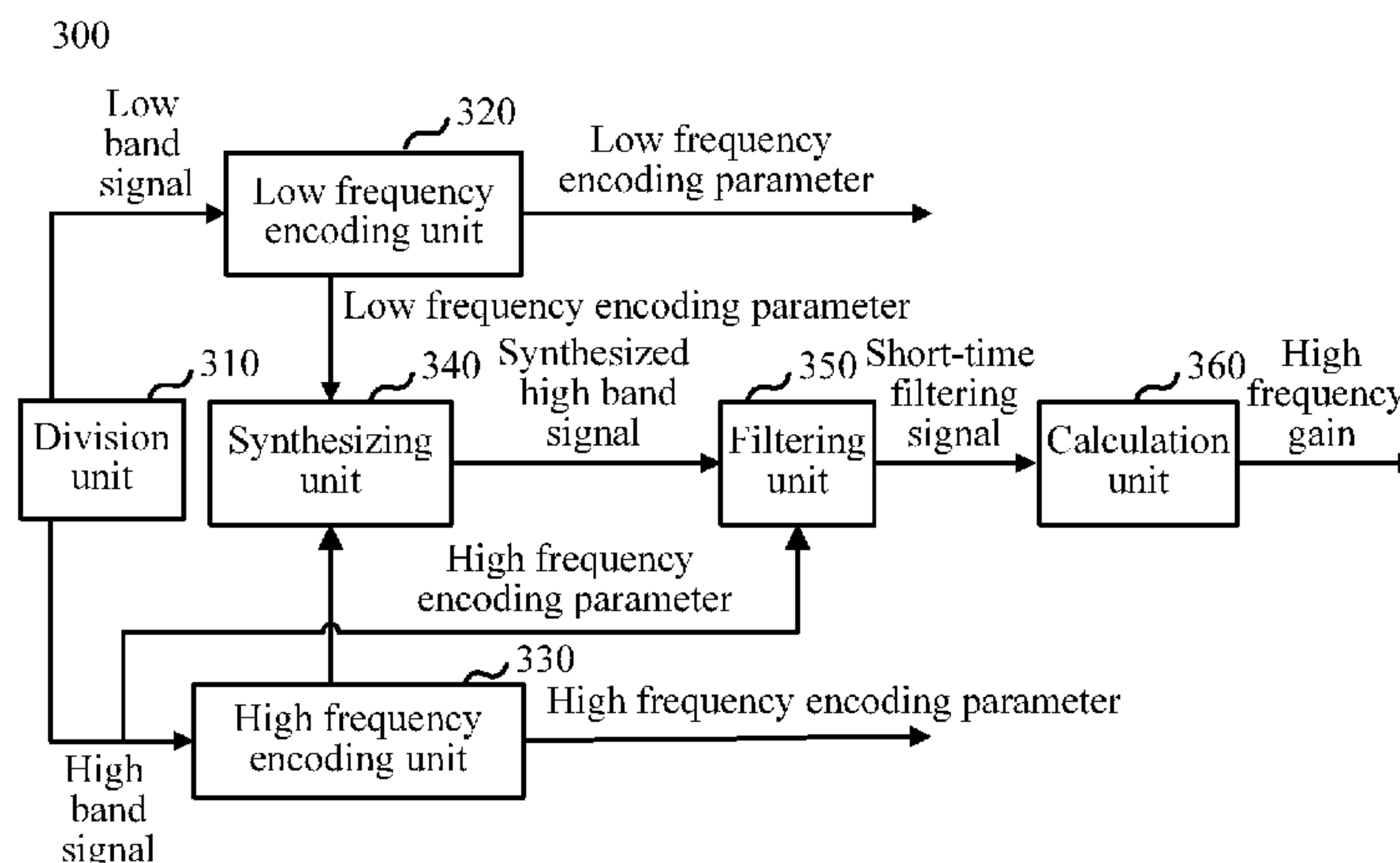
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(57) **ABSTRACT**

An encoding method, a decoding method, an encoding apparatus, a decoding apparatus, a transmitter, a receiver, and a communications system. The encoding method includes: dividing a to-be-encoded time-domain signal into a low band signal and a high band signal; performing encoding on the low band signal to obtain a low frequency encoding parameter; performing encoding on the high band signal to obtain a high frequency encoding parameter, and obtaining a synthesized high band signal; performing short-time post-filtering processing on the synthesized high band signal to obtain a short-time filtering signal; and calculating a high frequency gain based on the high band signal and the short-time filtering signal. A technical solution according to the embodiments of the present invention can improve an encoding and/or decoding effect.

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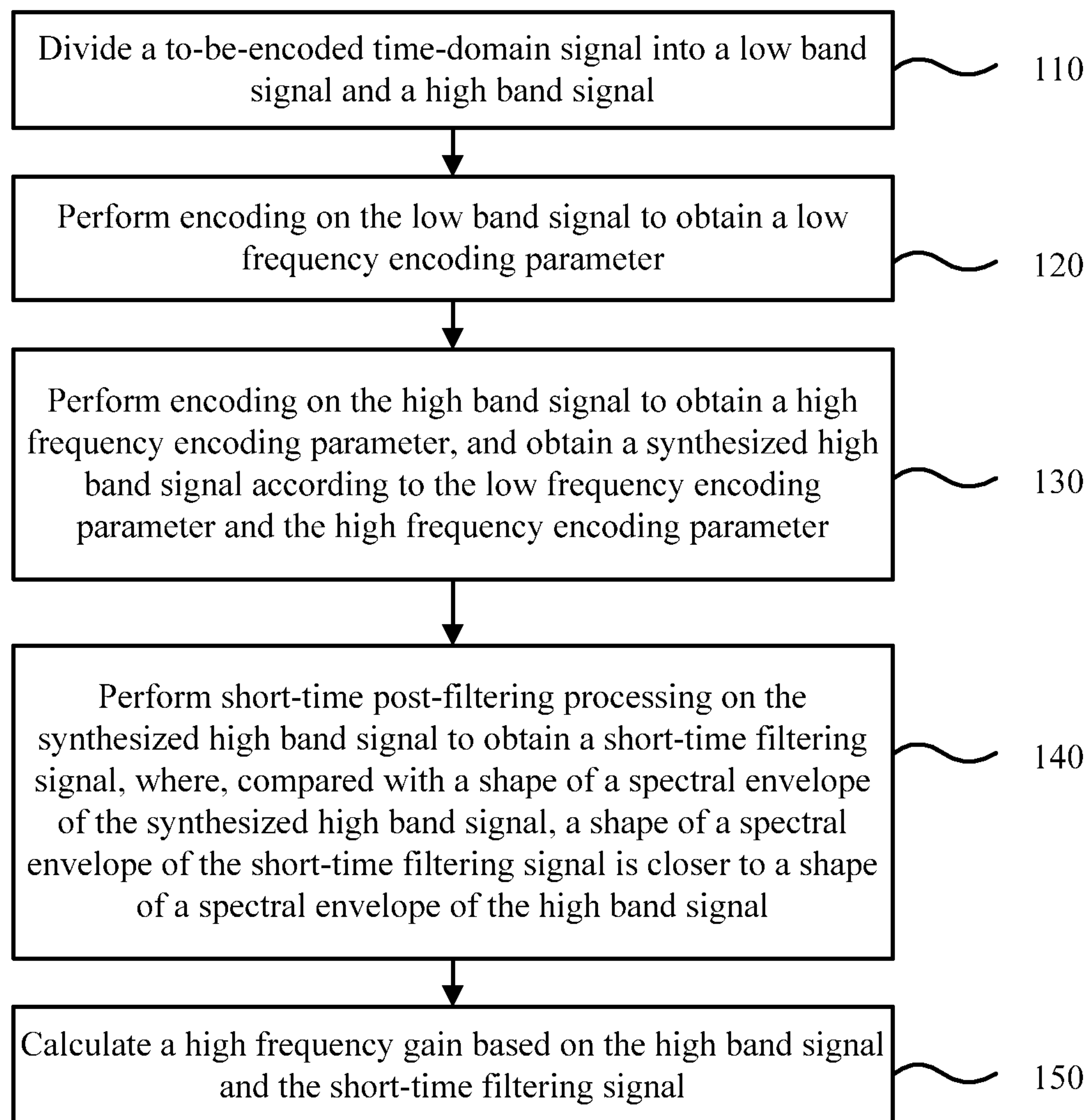


FIG. 1



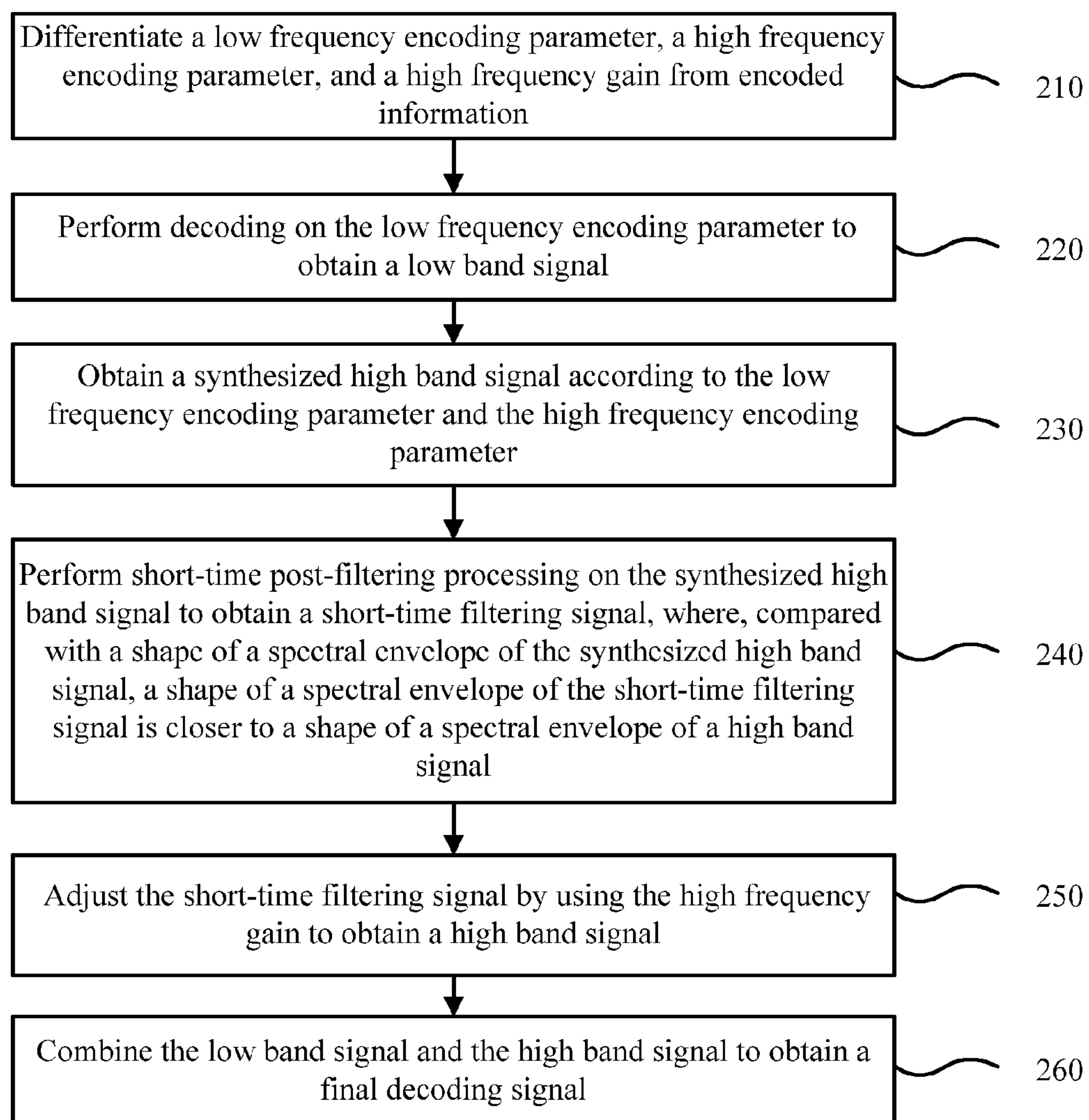


FIG. 2

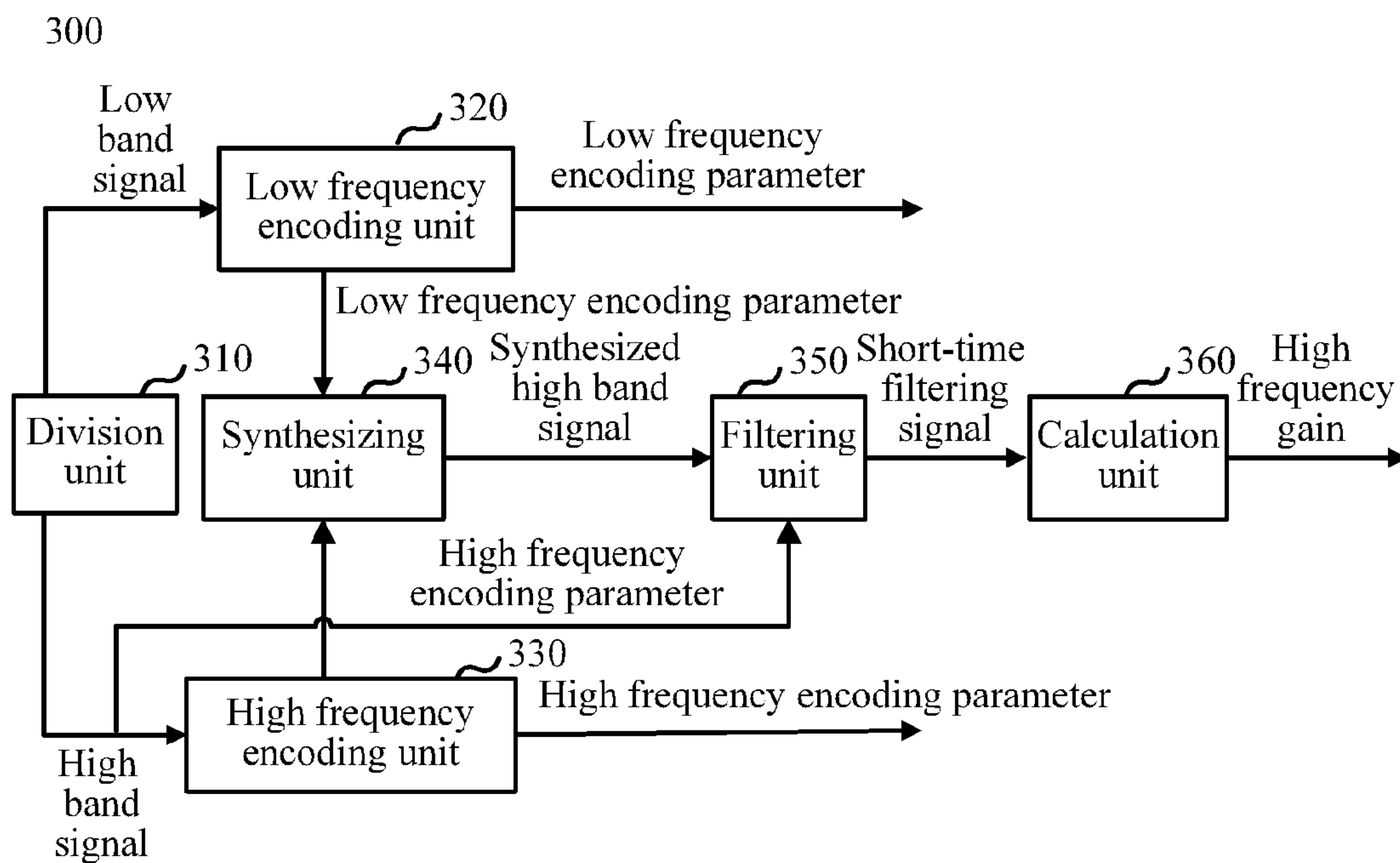


FIG. 3

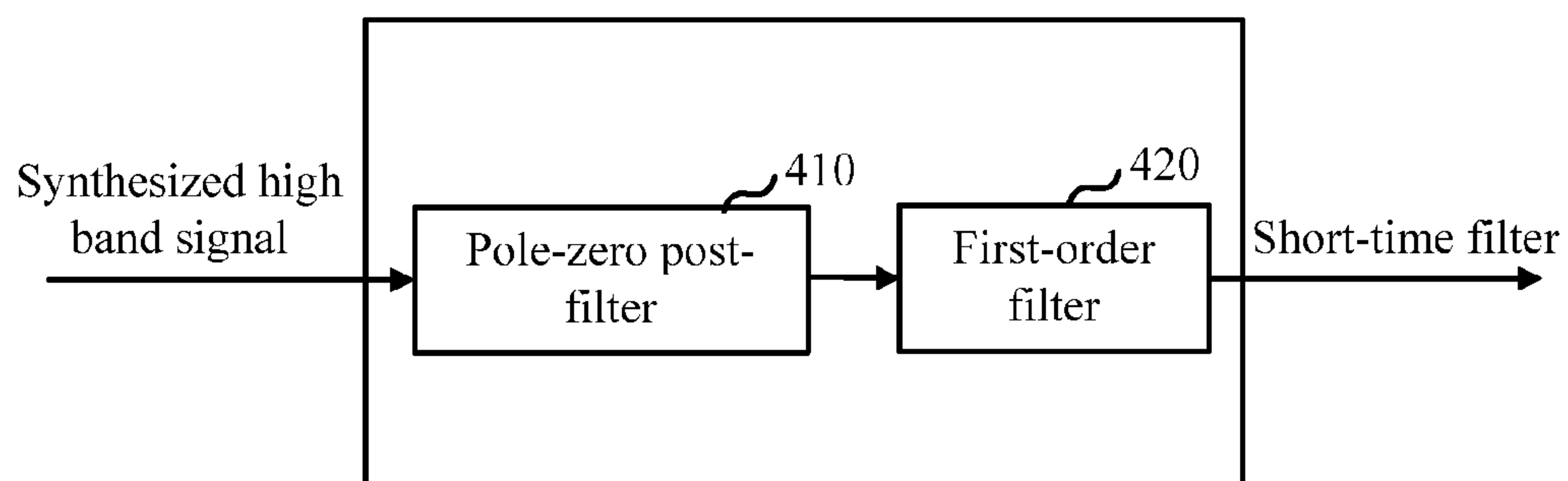


FIG. 4

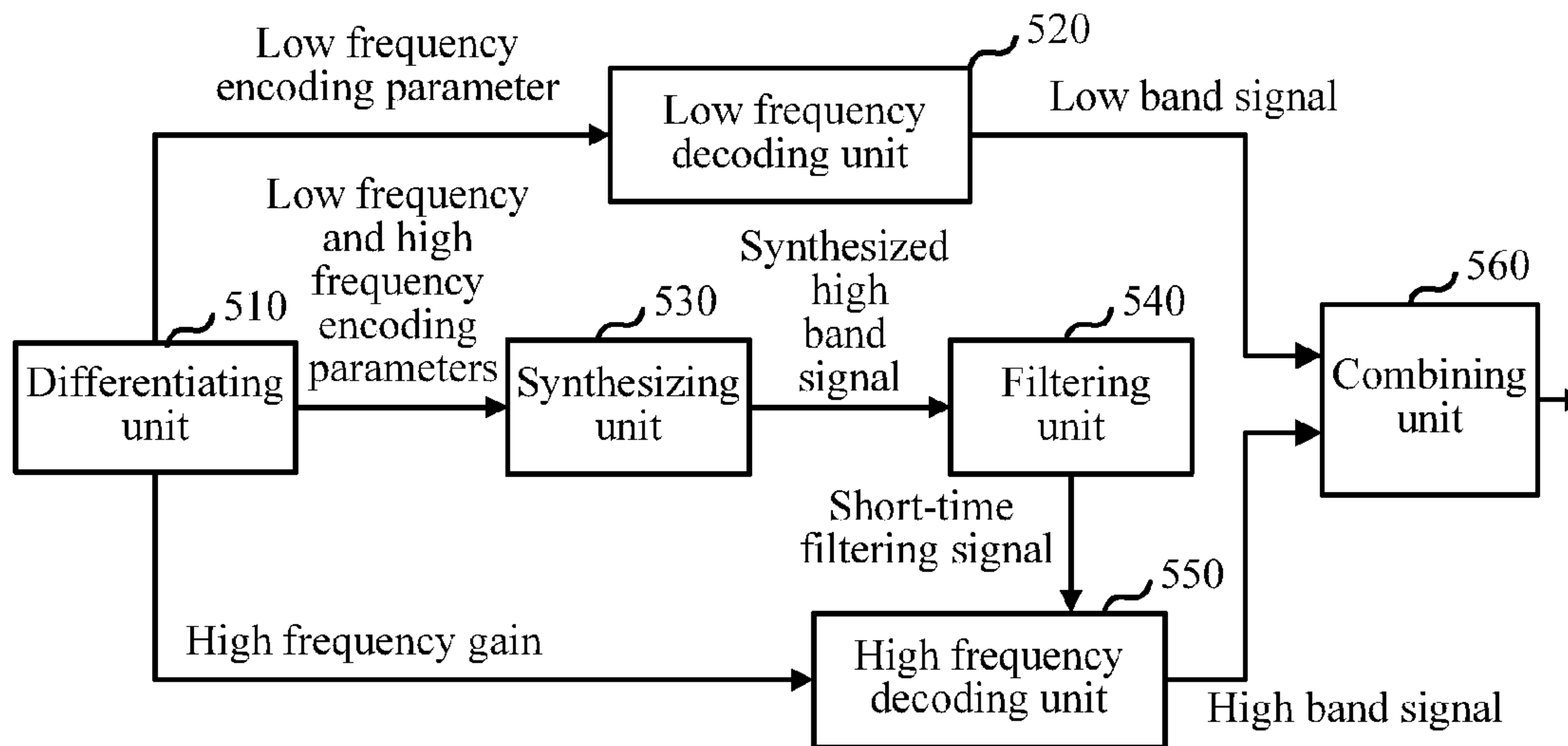


FIG. 5

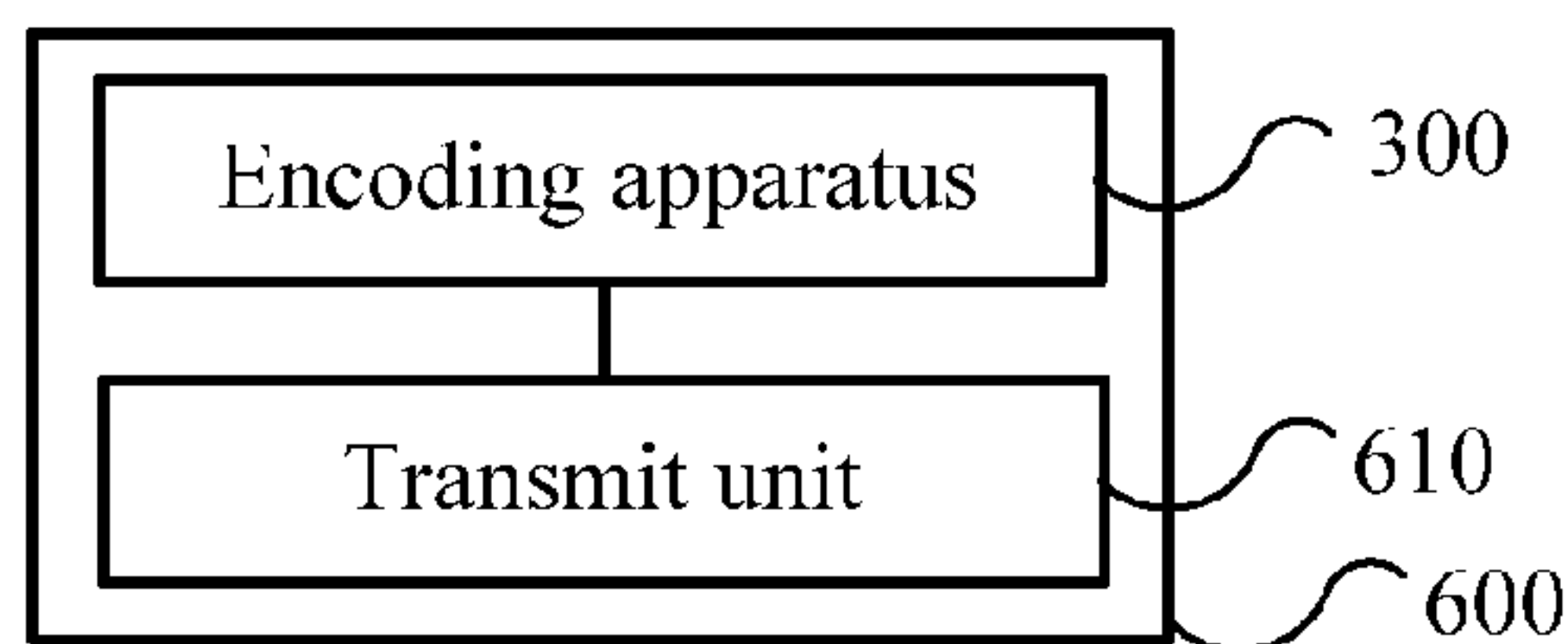


FIG. 6

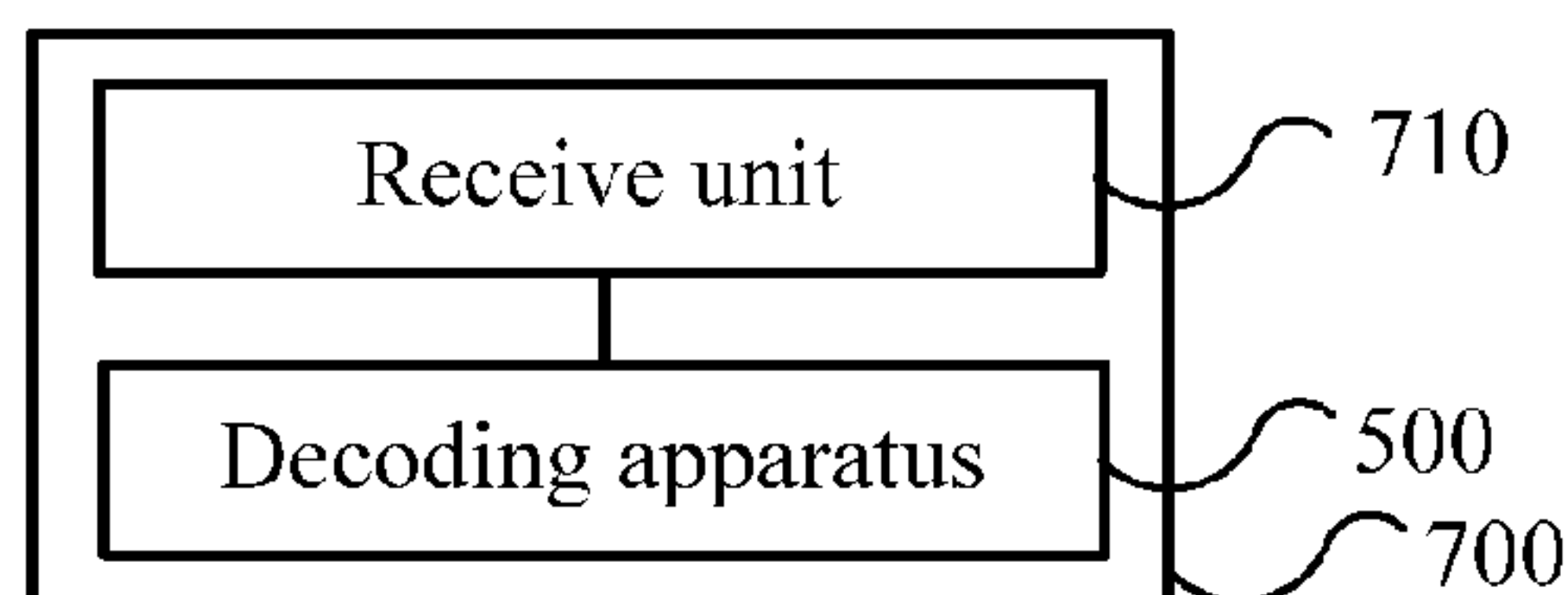


FIG. 7

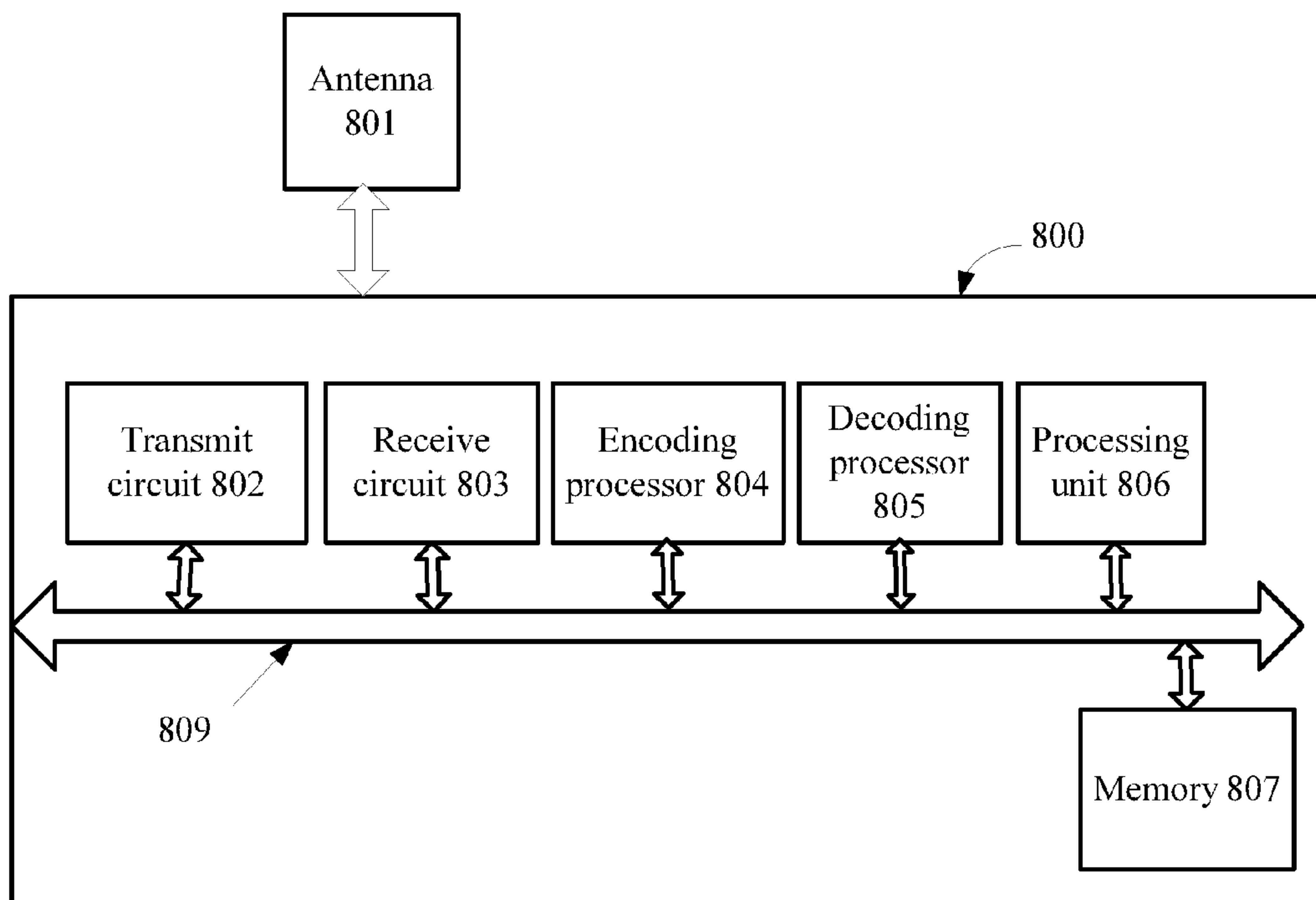


FIG. 8



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**ENCODING METHOD, DECODING  
METHOD, ENCODING APPARATUS, AND  
DECODING APPARATUS**

CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED  
APPLICATION

This application is a continuation of International Appli-  
cation No. PCT/CN2013/080061, filed on Jul. 25, 2013,  
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hereby incorporated by reference in their entireties.

TECHNICAL FIELD

Embodiments of the present invention relate to the field of  
communications technologies, and in particular, to an  
encoding method, a decoding method, an encoding appara-  
tus, a decoding apparatus, a transmitter, a receiver, and a  
communications system.

BACKGROUND

With continuous progress of communications technolo-  
gies, users are imposing an increasingly high requirement on  
voice quality. Generally, voice quality is improved by  
increasing bandwidth of the voice quality. If a signal whose  
bandwidth is wider is encoded in a traditional encoding  
manner, a bit rate is greatly improved and as a result, it is  
difficult to implement encoding because of a limitation  
condition of current network bandwidth. Therefore, encod-  
ing needs to be performed on a signal whose bandwidth is  
wider in a case in which a bit rate is unchanged or slightly  
changed, and a solution proposed for this issue is to use a  
bandwidth extension technology. The bandwidth extension  
technology may be completed in a time domain or a fre-  
quency domain. A basic principle of performing bandwidth  
extension in a time domain is that two different processing  
methods are used for a low band signal and a high band  
signal. For a low band signal in an original signal, encoding  
is performed at an encoder side according to a requirement  
using various encoders; at a decoder side, a decoder corre-  
sponding to the encoder of the encoder side is used to decode  
and restore the low band signal. For a high band signal, at  
the encoder side, an encoder used for the low band signal is  
used to obtain a low frequency encoding parameter so as to  
predict a high frequency excitation signal, processing is  
performed on a high band signal in an original signal to  
obtain a high frequency encoding parameter, and a synthe-  
sized high band signal is obtained based on the high fre-  
quency encoding parameter and the high frequency excita-  
tion signal; then the synthesized high band signal and the  
high band signal in the original signal are compared to  
obtain a high frequency gain that is used to adjust a gain of  
the high band signal, and the high frequency gain and the  
high frequency encoding parameter are transferred to the  
decoder side to restore the high band signal. At the decoder  
side, the low frequency encoding parameter that is extracted  
when the low band signal is decoded is used to restore the  
high frequency excitation signal, the synthesized high band  
signal is obtained based on the high frequency excitation  
signal and the high frequency encoding parameter that is  
extracted when the high band signal is decoded, then a high  
frequency gain is adjusted for the synthesized high band  
signal to obtain a final high band signal, and the high band  
signal and the low band signal are combined to obtain a final  
output signal.

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In the foregoing technology of performing bandwidth  
extension in a time domain, the high band signal is restored  
in a condition of a specific rate, however, a performance  
indicator is deficient. It may be learned by comparing a  
frequency spectrum of a voice signal that is restored by  
decoding and a frequency spectrum of an original voice  
signal that, a restored voice signal sounds rustling and a  
sound is not clear enough.

SUMMARY

Embodiments of the present invention provide an encod-  
ing method, a decoding method, an encoding apparatus, a  
decoding apparatus, a transmitter, a receiver, and a commu-  
nications system, which can improve articulation of a  
restored signal, thereby enhancing encoding and decoding  
performance.

According to a first aspect, an encoding method is pro-  
vided, including: dividing a to-be-encoded time-domain  
signal into a low band signal and a high band signal;  
performing encoding on the low band signal to obtain a low  
frequency encoding parameter; performing encoding on the  
high band signal to obtain a high frequency encoding  
parameter, and obtaining a synthesized high band signal  
according to the low frequency encoding parameter and the  
high frequency encoding parameter; performing short-time  
post-filtering processing on the synthesized high band signal  
to obtain a short-time filtering signal, where, compared with  
a shape of a spectral envelope of the synthesized high band  
signal, a shape of a spectral envelope of the short-time  
filtering signal is closer to a shape of a spectral envelope of  
the high band signal; and calculating a high frequency gain  
based on the high band signal and the short-time filtering  
signal.

With reference to the first aspect, in an implementation  
manner of the first aspect, the performing short-time post-  
filtering processing on the synthesized high band signal  
includes setting a coefficient of a pole-zero post-filter based  
on the high frequency encoding parameter, and performing  
filtering processing on the synthesized high band signal  
using the pole-zero post-filter.

With reference to the first aspect and the foregoing  
implementation manner, in another implementation manner  
of the first aspect, the performing short-time post-filtering  
processing on the synthesized high band signal may further  
include: after performing filtering processing on the synthe-  
sized high band signal using the pole-zero post-filter, per-  
forming, using a first-order filter whose z-domain transfer  
function is  $H_f(z)=1-\mu z^{-1}$ , filtering processing on the synthe-  
sized high band signal that has been processed by the  
pole-zero post-filter, where  $\mu$  is a preset constant or a value  
obtained by adaptive calculation that is performed according  
to the high frequency encoding parameter and the synthe-  
sized high band signal.

With reference to the first aspect and the foregoing  
implementation manners, in another implementation manner  
of the first aspect, the performing encoding on the high band  
signal to obtain a high frequency encoding parameter  
includes performing, using a linear predictive coding LPC  
technology, encoding on the high band signal to obtain an  
LPC coefficient and use the LPC coefficient as the high  
frequency encoding parameter, where a z-domain transfer  
function of the pole-zero post-filter is a formula as follows:

$$H_s(z) = \frac{1 - a_1 \beta z^{-1} - a_2 \beta^2 z^{-2} - \dots - a_M \beta^M z^{-M}}{1 - a_1 \gamma z^{-1} - a_2 \gamma^2 z^{-2} - \dots - a_M \gamma^M z^{-M}}$$



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where  $\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_M$  is the LPC coefficient, M is an order of the LPC coefficient, and  $\beta$  and  $\gamma$  are preset constants and satisfy  $0 < \beta < \gamma < 1$ .

With reference to the first aspect and the foregoing implementation manners, in another implementation manner of the first aspect, the encoding method may further include generating an encoding bitstream according to the low frequency encoding parameter, the high frequency encoding parameter, and the high frequency gain.

According to a second aspect, a decoding method is provided, including: differentiating a low frequency encoding parameter, a high frequency encoding parameter, and a high frequency gain from encoded information; performing decoding on the low frequency encoding parameter to obtain a low band signal; obtaining a synthesized high band signal according to the low frequency encoding parameter and the high frequency encoding parameter; performing short-time post-filtering processing on the synthesized high band signal to obtain a short-time filtering signal, where, compared with a shape of a spectral envelope of the synthesized high band signal, a shape of a spectral envelope of the short-time filtering signal is closer to a shape of a spectral envelope of a high band signal; adjusting the short-time filtering signal using the high frequency gain to obtain a high band signal; and combining the low band signal and the high band signal to obtain a final decoding signal.

With reference to the second aspect, in an implementation manner of the second aspect, the performing short-time post-filtering processing on the synthesized high band signal includes: setting a coefficient of a pole-zero post-filter based on the high frequency encoding parameter, and performing filtering processing on the synthesized high band signal using the pole-zero post-filter.

With reference to the second aspect and the foregoing implementation manner, in another implementation manner of the second aspect, the performing short-time post-filtering processing on the synthesized high band signal may further include: after performing filtering processing on the synthesized high band signal using the pole-zero post-filter, performing, using a first-order filter whose z-domain transfer function is  $H_f(z) = 1 - \mu z^{-1}$ , filtering processing on the synthesized high band signal that has been processed by the pole-zero post-filter, where  $\mu$  is a preset constant or a value obtained by adaptive calculation that is performed according to the high frequency encoding parameter and the synthesized high band signal.

With reference to the second aspect and the foregoing implementation manners, in another implementation manner of the second aspect, the high frequency encoding parameter may include an LPC coefficient that is obtained by performing encoding using a linear predictive coding LPC technology, and a z-domain transfer function of the pole-zero post-filter is a formula as follows:

$$H_s(z) = \frac{1 - a_1 \beta z^{-1} - a_2 \beta^2 z^{-2} - \dots - a_M \beta^M z^{-M}}{1 - a_1 \gamma z^{-1} - a_2 \gamma^2 z^{-2} - \dots - a_M \gamma^M z^{-M}}$$

where  $\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_M$  is the LPC coefficient, M is an order of the LPC coefficient, and  $\beta$  and  $\gamma$  are preset constants and satisfy  $0 < \beta < \gamma < 1$ .

According to a third aspect, an encoding apparatus is provided, including: a division unit configured to divide a to-be-encoded time-domain signal into a low band signal and a high band signal; a low frequency encoding unit configured to perform encoding on the low band signal to

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obtain a low frequency encoding parameter; a high frequency encoding unit configured to perform encoding on the high band signal to obtain a high frequency encoding parameter; a synthesizing unit configured to obtain a synthesized high band signal according to the low frequency encoding parameter and the high frequency encoding parameter; a filtering unit configured to perform short-time post-filtering processing on the synthesized high band signal to obtain a short-time filtering signal, where, compared with a shape of a spectral envelope of the synthesized high band signal, a shape of a spectral envelope of the short-time filtering signal is closer to a shape of a spectral envelope of the high band signal; and a calculation unit configured to calculate a high frequency gain based on the high band signal and the short-time filtering signal.

With reference to the third aspect, in an implementation manner of the third aspect, the filtering unit may include a pole-zero post-filter configured to perform filtering processing on the synthesized high band signal, where a coefficient of the pole-zero post-filter may be set based on the high frequency encoding parameter.

With reference to the third aspect and the foregoing implementation manner, in another implementation manner of the third aspect, the filtering unit may further include a first-order filter, which is located behind the pole-zero post-filter and whose z-domain transfer function is  $H_f(z) = 1 - \mu z^{-1}$  configured to perform filtering processing on the synthesized high band signal that has been processed by the pole-zero post-filter, where  $\mu$  is a preset constant or a value obtained by adaptive calculation that is performed according to the high frequency encoding parameter and the synthesized high band signal.

With reference to the third aspect and the foregoing implementation manners, in another implementation manner of the third aspect, the high frequency encoding unit may perform encoding on the high band signal using a linear predictive coding (LPC) technology to obtain an LPC coefficient and use the LPC coefficient as the high frequency encoding parameter, and a z-domain transfer function of the pole-zero post-filter is a formula as follows:

$$H_s(z) = \frac{1 - a_1 \beta z^{-1} - a_2 \beta^2 z^{-2} - \dots - a_M \beta^M z^{-M}}{1 - a_1 \gamma z^{-1} - a_2 \gamma^2 z^{-2} - \dots - a_M \gamma^M z^{-M}}$$

where  $\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_M$  is the LPC coefficient, M is an order of the LPC coefficient, and  $\beta$  and  $\gamma$  are preset constants and satisfy  $0 < \beta < \gamma < 1$ .

With reference to the third aspect and the foregoing implementation manners, in another implementation manner of the third aspect, the encoding apparatus may further include a bitstream generating unit configured to generate an encoding bitstream according to the low frequency encoding parameter, the high frequency encoding parameter, and the high frequency gain.

According to a fourth aspect, a decoding apparatus is provided, including: a differentiating unit configured to differentiate a low frequency encoding parameter, a high frequency encoding parameter, and a high frequency gain from encoded information; a low frequency decoding unit configured to perform decoding on the low frequency encoding parameter to obtain a low band signal; a synthesizing unit configured to obtain a synthesized high band signal according to the low frequency encoding parameter and the high frequency encoding parameter; a filtering unit configured to perform short-time post-filtering processing on the



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synthesized high band signal to obtain a short-time filtering signal, where, compared with a shape of a spectral envelope of the synthesized high band signal, a shape of a spectral envelope of the short-time filtering signal is closer to a shape of a spectral envelope of a high band signal; a high frequency decoding unit configured to adjust the short-time filtering signal using the high frequency gain to obtain a high band signal; and a combining unit configured to combine the low band signal and the high band signal to obtain a final decoding signal.

With reference to the fourth aspect, in an implementation manner of the fourth aspect, the filtering unit may include a pole-zero post-filter configured to perform filtering processing on the synthesized high band signal, where a coefficient of the pole-zero post-filter may be set based on the high frequency encoding parameter.

With reference to the fourth aspect and the foregoing implementation manner, in another implementation manner of the fourth aspect, the filtering unit may further include a first-order filter, which is located behind the pole-zero post-filter and whose z-domain transfer function is  $H_f(z)=1-\mu z^{-1}$  configured to perform filtering processing on the synthesized high band signal that has been processed by the pole-zero post-filter, where  $\mu$  is a preset constant or a value obtained by adaptive calculation that is performed according to the high frequency encoding parameter and the synthesized high band signal.

With reference to the fourth aspect and the foregoing implementation manners, in another implementation manner of the fourth aspect, the high frequency encoding parameter may include an LPC coefficient that is obtained using an LPC technology, and a z-domain transfer function of the pole-zero post-filter is a formula as follows:

$$H_s(z) = \frac{1 - a_1 \beta z^{-1} - a_2 \beta^2 z^{-2} - \dots - a_M \beta^M z^{-M}}{1 - a_1 \gamma z^{-1} - a_2 \gamma^2 z^{-2} - \dots - a_M \gamma^M z^{-M}}$$

where  $\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_M$  is the LPC coefficient, M is an order of the LPC coefficient, and  $\beta$  and  $\gamma$  are preset constants and satisfy  $0 < \beta < \gamma < 1$ .

According to a fifth aspect, a transmitter is provided, including an encoding apparatus according to the third aspect, and a transmit unit configured to allocate bits to a high frequency encoding parameter and a low frequency encoding parameter that are generated by the encoding apparatus so as to generate a bit stream, and transmit the bit stream.

According to a sixth aspect, a receiver is provided, including a receive unit configured to receive a bit stream and extract encoded information from the bit stream; and a decoding apparatus according to the fourth aspect.

According to a seventh aspect, a communications system is provided, including a transmitter according the fifth aspect or a receiver according to the sixth aspect.

In the foregoing technical solution according to the embodiments of the present invention, when a high frequency gain is calculated based on a synthesized high band signal in an encoding and decoding process, short-time post-filtering processing is performed on the synthesized high band signal to obtain a short-time filtering signal, and the high frequency gain is calculated based on the short-time filtering signal, which can reduce or even remove a rustle from a restored signal, and improve an encoding and decoding effect.

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## BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF DRAWINGS

To describe the technical solutions in the embodiments of the present invention more clearly, the following briefly introduces the accompanying drawings required for describing the embodiments or the prior art. Apparently, the accompanying drawings in the following description show merely some embodiments of the present invention, and a person of ordinary skill in the art may still derive other drawings from these accompanying drawings without creative efforts.

FIG. 1 is a flowchart that schematically shows an encoding method according to an embodiment of the present invention;

FIG. 2 is a flowchart that schematically shows a decoding method according to an embodiment of the present invention;

FIG. 3 is a block diagram that schematically shows an encoding apparatus according to an embodiment of the present invention;

FIG. 4 is a block diagram that schematically shows a filtering unit in an encoding apparatus according to an embodiment of the present invention;

FIG. 5 is a block diagram that schematically shows a decoding apparatus according to an embodiment of the present invention;

FIG. 6 is a block diagram that schematically shows a transmitter according to an embodiment of the present invention;

FIG. 7 is a block diagram that schematically shows a receiver according to an embodiment of the present invention; and

FIG. 8 is a schematic block diagram of an apparatus according to another embodiment of the present invention.

## DESCRIPTION OF EMBODIMENTS

The following clearly describes the technical solutions in the embodiments of the present invention with reference to the accompanying drawings in the embodiments of the present invention. The described embodiments are some but not all of the embodiments of the present invention. All other embodiments obtained by a person of ordinary skill in the art based on the embodiments of the present invention without creative efforts shall fall within the protection scope of the present invention.

The technical solutions of the present invention may be applied to various communications systems, such as Global System for Mobile Communication (GSM), Code Division Multiple Access (CDMA), Wideband Code Division Multiple Access (WCDMA), general packet radio service (GPRS), and Long Term Evolution (LTE).

A bandwidth extension technology may be completed in a time domain or a frequency domain, and in the present invention, bandwidth extension is completed in a time domain.

FIG. 1 is a flowchart that schematically shows an encoding method 100 according to an embodiment of the present invention. The encoding method 100 includes: dividing a to-be-encoded time-domain signal into a low band signal and a high band signal (110); performing encoding on the low band signal to obtain a low frequency encoding parameter (120); performing encoding on the high band signal to obtain a high frequency encoding parameter, and obtaining a synthesized high band signal according to the low frequency encoding parameter and the high frequency encoding parameter (130); performing short-time post-filtering processing on the synthesized high band signal to obtain a



short-time filtering signal, where, compared with a shape of a spectral envelope of the synthesized high band signal, a shape of a spectral envelope of the short-time filtering signal is closer to a shape of a spectral envelope of the high band signal (140); and calculating a high frequency gain based on the high band signal and the short-time filtering signal (150).

In 110, the to-be-encoded time-domain signal is divided into the low band signal and the high band signal. This division is to divide the time-domain signal into two signals for processing, so that the low band signal and the high band signal can be separately processed. The division may be implemented using any conventional or future division technology. The meaning of the low frequency herein is relative to the meaning of the high frequency. For example, a frequency threshold may be set, where a frequency lower than the frequency threshold is a low frequency, and a frequency higher than the frequency threshold is a high frequency. In practice, the frequency threshold may be set according to a requirement, and a low band signal component and a high frequency component in a signal may also be differentiated using another manner, so as to implement the division.

In 120, the low band signal is encoded to obtain the low frequency encoding parameter. By the encoding, the low band signal is processed so as to obtain the low frequency encoding parameter, so that a decoder side restores the low band signal according to the low frequency encoding parameter. The low frequency encoding parameter is a parameter required by the decoder side to restore the low band signal. As an example, encoding may be performed using an encoder (Algebraic Code Excited Linear Prediction (ACELP) encoder) that uses an ACELP algorithm, and a low frequency encoding parameter obtained in this case may include, for example, an algebraic codebook, an algebraic codebook gain, an adaptive codebook, an adaptive codebook gain, and a pitch period, and may also include another parameter. The low frequency encoding parameter may be transferred to the decoder side to restore the low band signal. In addition, when the algebraic codebook and the adaptive codebook are transferred from an encoder side to the decoder side, only an algebraic codebook index and an adaptive codebook index may be transferred, and the decoder side obtains a corresponding algebraic codebook and adaptive codebook according to the algebraic codebook index and the adaptive codebook index, so as to implement the restoration. In practice, the low band signal may be encoded using a proper encoding technology according to a requirement. When an encoding technology changes, composition of the low frequency encoding parameter may also change.

In this embodiment of the present invention, an encoding technology that uses the ACELP algorithm is used as an example for description.

In 130, the high band signal is encoded to obtain the high frequency encoding parameter, and the synthesized high band signal is obtained according to the low frequency encoding parameter and the high frequency encoding parameter. For example, linear predictive coding (LPC) analysis may be performed on a high band signal in an original signal to obtain a high frequency encoding parameter such as an LPC coefficient, the low frequency encoding parameter is used to predict a high frequency excitation signal, and the high frequency excitation signal is used to obtain the synthesized high band signal using a synthesis filter that is determined according to the LPC coefficient. In practice, another technology may be adopted according to a requirement so as to obtain the synthesized high band signal

according to the low frequency encoding parameter and the high frequency encoding parameter.

In a process of obtaining the synthesized high band signal according to the low frequency encoding parameter and the high frequency encoding parameter, a frequency spectrum of the high frequency excitation signal that is obtained using the low frequency encoding parameter to perform a prediction is flat; however, a frequency spectrum of an actual high frequency excitation signal is not flat. This difference causes that the spectral envelope of the synthesized high band signal does not change with the spectral envelope of the high band signal in the original signal, and further causes a rustle in a restored voice signal.

In 140, the short-time post-filtering processing is performed on the synthesized high band signal to obtain the short-time filtering signal, where, compared with the shape of the spectral envelope of the synthesized high band signal, the shape of the spectral envelope of the short-time filtering signal is closer to the shape of the spectral envelope of the high band signal.

For example, a filter that is used to perform post-filtering processing on the synthesized high band signal may be formed based on the high frequency encoding parameter, and the filter is used to perform filtering on the synthesized high band signal to obtain the short-time filtering signal, where, compared with the shape of the spectral envelope of the synthesized high band signal, the shape of the spectral envelope of the short-time filtering signal is closer to the shape of the spectral envelope of the high band signal. For example, a coefficient of a pole-zero post-filter may be set based on the high frequency encoding parameter, and the pole-zero post-filter may be used to perform filtering processing on the synthesized high band signal. Alternatively, a coefficient of an all-pole post-filter may be set based on the high frequency encoding parameter, and the all-pole post-filter may be used to perform filtering processing on the synthesized high band signal. That encoding is performed on the high band signal using an LPC technology is used as an example for description below.

In a case in which encoding is performed on the high band signal using the LPC technology, the high frequency encoding parameter includes an LPC coefficient  $\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_M$ , is an order of the LPC coefficient, and a pole-zero post-filter whose coefficient transfer function is calculated in the following formula (1) may be set based on the LPC coefficient:

$$H_s(z) = \frac{1 - a_1\beta z^{-1} - a_2\beta^2 z^{-2} - \dots - a_M\beta^M z^{-M}}{1 - a_1\gamma z^{-1} - a_2\gamma^2 z^{-2} - \dots - a_M\gamma^M z^{-M}} \quad \text{formula (1)}$$

where  $\beta$  and  $\gamma$  are preset constants and satisfy  $0 < \beta < \gamma < 1$ . In practice, it may be made that  $\beta=0.5, \gamma=0.8$ . A shape of a spectral envelope of a synthesized high band signal that has been processed by the pole-zero post-filter whose transfer function is shown in formula (1) is closer to the shape of the spectral envelope of the high band signal, so as to avoid a rustle in the restored signal and improve an encoding effect. The transfer function shown in formula (1) is a z-domain transfer function, but this transfer function may further be a transfer function in another domain such as a time domain or a frequency domain.

In addition, the synthesized high band signal after the pole-zero post-filtering processing has a low-pass effect, therefore, after the filtering processing is performed on the synthesized high band signal using the pole-zero post-filter,



processing may further be performed using a first-order filter whose z-domain transfer function is calculated in the following formula (2):

$$H_s(z) = 1 - \mu z^{-1} \quad \text{formula (2)}$$

where  $\mu$  is a preset constant or a value obtained by adaptive calculation that is performed according to the high frequency encoding parameter and the synthesized high band signal. For example, in a case in which encoding is performed on the high band signal using the LPC technology,  $\mu$  may be obtained by calculation using the LPC coefficient,  $\beta$  and  $\gamma$ , and the synthesized high band signal as a function, and a person skilled in the art may use various existing methods to perform the calculation, and details are not described herein again. Compared with a short-time filtering signal that is obtained from filtering processing only by the pole-zero post-filter, a change of a spectral envelope of a short-time filtering signal that is obtained from filtering processing by both the pole-zero post-filter and the first-order filter is closer to a change of the spectral envelope of the original high band signal, and an encoding effect can be further improved.

In a case in which encoding is performed on the high band signal using the LPC technology, if the short-time post-filtering processing is implemented using the all-pole post-filter, a z-domain transfer function of the all-pole post-filter whose coefficient is set based on the high frequency encoding parameter may be shown in the following formula (3):

$$H_s(z) = \frac{1}{1 - a_1 \gamma z^{-1} - a_2 \gamma^2 z^{-2} - \dots - a_M \gamma^M z^{-M}} \quad \text{formula (3)}$$

where  $\beta$  and  $\gamma$  are preset constants and satisfy  $0 < \beta < \gamma < 1$ ,  $\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_M$  is used as an LPC coefficient of the high frequency encoding parameter, and  $M$  is an order of the LPC coefficient.

In **150**, the high frequency gain is calculated based on the high band signal and the short-time filtering signal. The high frequency gain is used to indicate an energy difference between the original high band signal and the short-time filtering signal (that is, a synthesized high band signal after short-time post-filtering processing). When signal decoding is performed, after the synthesized high band signal is obtained, the high frequency gain can be used to restore a high band signal.

After the high frequency gain, the high frequency encoding parameter, and the low frequency encoding parameter are obtained, an encoding bitstream is generated according to the low frequency encoding parameter, the high frequency encoding parameter, and the high frequency gain, thereby implementing encoding. In the foregoing encoding method according to this embodiment of the present invention, short-time post-filtering processing is performed on a synthesized high band signal to obtain a short-time filtering signal, and a high frequency gain is calculated based on the short-time filtering signal, which can reduce or even remove a rustle from a restored signal, and improve an encoding effect.

FIG. 2 is a flowchart that schematically shows a decoding method **200** according to an embodiment of the present invention. The decoding method **200** includes: differentiating a low frequency encoding parameter, a high frequency encoding parameter, and a high frequency gain from encoded information (**210**); performing decoding on the low frequency encoding parameter to obtain a low band signal

(**220**); obtaining a synthesized high band signal according to the low frequency encoding parameter and the high frequency encoding parameter (**230**); performing short-time post-filtering processing on the synthesized high band signal to obtain a short-time filtering signal, where, compared with a shape of a spectral envelope of the synthesized high band signal, a shape of a spectral envelope of the short-time filtering signal is closer to a shape of a spectral envelope of a high band signal (**240**); adjusting the short-time filtering signal using the high frequency gain to obtain a high band signal (**250**); and combining the low band signal and the high band signal to obtain a final decoding signal (**260**).

In **210**, the low frequency encoding parameter, the high frequency encoding parameter, and the high frequency gain are differentiated from the encoded information. The low frequency encoding parameter may include, for example, an algebraic codebook, an algebraic codebook gain, an adaptive codebook, an adaptive codebook gain, a pitch period, and another parameter, and the high frequency encoding parameter may include, for example, an LPC coefficient and another parameter. In addition, the low frequency encoding parameter and the high frequency encoding parameter may alternatively include another parameter according to a different encoding technology.

In **220**, decoding is performed on the low frequency encoding parameter to obtain the low band signal. A specific decoding manner corresponds to an encoding manner of an encoder side. For example, when an ACELP encoder that uses an ACELP algorithm is used at the encoder side to perform encoding, in **220**, an ACELP decoder is used to obtain the low band signal.

In **230**, the synthesized high band signal is obtained according to the low frequency encoding parameter and the high frequency encoding parameter. For example, the low frequency encoding parameter is used to restore a high frequency excitation signal, the LPC coefficient in the high frequency encoding parameter is used to generate a synthesized filter, and the synthesized filter is used to perform filtering on the high frequency excitation signal to obtain the synthesized high band signal. In practice, another technology may further be adopted according to a requirement so as to obtain the synthesized high band signal based on the low frequency encoding parameter and the high frequency encoding parameter.

As described above, in a process of obtaining the synthesized high band signal according to the low frequency encoding parameter and the high frequency encoding parameter, a frequency spectrum of the high frequency excitation signal that is obtained using the low frequency encoding parameter to perform a prediction is flat, however, a frequency spectrum of an actual high frequency excitation signal is not flat. This difference causes that the spectral envelope of the synthesized high band signal does not change with a spectral envelope of the high band signal in an original signal, and further causes a rustle in a restored voice signal.

In **240**, the short-time post-filtering processing is performed on the synthesized high band signal to obtain the short-time filtering signal, where, compared with the shape of the spectral envelope of the synthesized high band signal, the shape of the spectral envelope of the short-time filtering signal is closer to the shape of the spectral envelope of the high band signal.

For example, a filter that is used to perform post-filtering processing on the synthesized high band signal may be formed based on the high frequency encoding parameter, and the filter is used to perform filtering on the synthesized



high band signal to obtain a short-time filtering signal, where, compared with the synthesized high band signal, the shape of the spectral envelope of the short-time filtering signal is closer to the shape of the spectral envelope of the high band signal. For example, a coefficient of a pole-zero post-filter may be set based on the high frequency encoding parameter, and the pole-zero post-filter may be used to perform filtering processing on the synthesized high band signal. Alternatively, a coefficient of an all-pole post-filter may be set based on the high frequency encoding parameter, and the all-pole post-filter may be used to perform filtering processing on the synthesized high band signal.

In a case in which encoding is performed on the high band signal using an LPC technology, the high frequency encoding parameter includes an LPC coefficient  $\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_M$ ,  $M$  is an order of the LPC coefficient, a z-domain transfer function of a pole-zero post-filter that is set based on the LPC coefficient may be the foregoing formula (1), and a z-domain transfer function of an all-pole post-filter that is set based on the LPC coefficient may be the foregoing formula (3). Compared with a shape of a spectral envelope of a synthesized high band signal that has not been processed by the pole-zero post-filter (or the all-pole post-filter), a shape of a spectral envelope of a synthesized high band signal that has been processed by the pole-zero post-filter (or the all-pole post-filter) is closer to a shape of a spectral envelope of an original high band signal, which avoids a rustle in a restored signal, thereby improving an encoding effect.

In addition, as described above, the synthesized high band signal after the pole-zero post-filtering processing shown in formula (1) has a low-pass effect, therefore, after the filtering processing is performed on the synthesized high band signal using the pole-zero post-filter, processing may further be performed using a first-order filter whose z-domain transfer function is the foregoing formula (2), so as to further improve the encoding effect.

For description of **240**, reference may be made to the foregoing description that is of **140** and is performed with reference to FIG. 1.

In **250**, the high frequency gain is used to adjust the short-time filtering signal to obtain the high band signal. Corresponding to that, at the decoder side, the high frequency gain is obtained using the high band signal and the short-time filtering signal (**150** in FIG. 1), in **250**, the high frequency gain is used to adjust the short-time filtering signal to restore the high band signal.

In **260**, the low band signal and the high band signal are combined to obtain the final decoding signal (**260**). This combination manner corresponds to a dividing manner in **110** of FIG. 1, thereby implementing decoding to obtain a final output signal.

In the foregoing decoding method according to this embodiment of the present invention, short-time post-filtering processing is performed on a synthesized high band signal to obtain a short-time filtering signal, and a high frequency gain is calculated based on the short-time filtering signal, which can reduce or even remove a rustle from a restored signal, and improve a decoding effect.

FIG. 3 is block diagram that schematically shows an encoding apparatus **300** according to an embodiment of the present invention. The encoding apparatus **300** includes: a division unit **310** configured to divide a to-be-encoded time-domain signal into a low band signal and a high band signal; a low frequency encoding unit **320** configured to perform encoding on the low band signal to obtain a low frequency encoding parameter; a high frequency encoding unit **330** configured to perform encoding on the high band

signal to obtain a high frequency encoding parameter; a synthesizing unit **340** configured to obtain a synthesized high band signal according to the low frequency encoding parameter and the high frequency encoding parameter; a filtering unit **350** configured to perform short-time post-filtering processing on the synthesized high band signal to obtain a short-time filtering signal, where, compared with a shape of a spectral envelope of the synthesized high band signal, a shape of a spectral envelope of the short-time filtering signal is closer to a shape of a spectral envelope of the high band signal; and a calculation unit **360** configured to calculate a high frequency gain based on the high band signal and the short-time filtering signal.

After receiving an input time-domain signal, the division unit **310** divides the to-be-encoded time-domain signal into two signals (a low band signal and a high band signal) to perform processing. The division may be implemented using any conventional or future division technology. The meaning of the low frequency herein is relative to the meaning of the high frequency. For example, a frequency threshold may be set; where a frequency lower than the frequency threshold is a low frequency, and a frequency higher than the frequency threshold is a high frequency. In practice, the frequency threshold may be set according to a requirement, and a low band signal component and a high frequency component in a signal may also be differentiated using another manner, so as to implement the division.

The low frequency encoding unit **320** may use a proper encoding technology according to a requirement so as to perform encoding on the low band signal. For example, the low frequency encoding unit **320** may use an ACELP encoder to perform encoding so as to obtain the low frequency encoding parameter (which may include, for example, an algebraic codebook, an algebraic codebook gain, an adaptive codebook, an adaptive codebook gain, and a pitch period). When a used encoding technology changes, composition of the low frequency encoding parameter may also change. The obtained low frequency encoding parameter is a parameter required for restoring the low band signal, and the obtained low frequency encoding parameter is transferred to a decoder to restore the low band signal.

The high frequency encoding unit **330** performs encoding on the high band signal to obtain a high frequency encoding parameter. For example, the high frequency encoding unit **330** may perform LPC analysis on a high band signal in an original signal to obtain a high frequency encoding parameter such as an LPC coefficient. An encoding technology that is used to perform encoding on the high band signal constitutes no limitation on the embodiments of the present invention.

The synthesizing unit **340** uses the low frequency encoding parameter to predict a high frequency excitation signal, and enables the high frequency excitation signal to pass to a synthesized filter that is determined according to the LPC coefficient so as to obtain the synthesized high band signal. In practice, another technology may further be adopted according to a requirement so as to obtain the synthesized high band signal according to the low frequency encoding parameter and the high frequency encoding parameter. A frequency spectrum of the high frequency excitation signal that is obtained by the synthesizing unit **340** by performing a prediction using the low frequency encoding parameter is flat; however, a frequency spectrum of an actual high frequency excitation signal is not flat. This difference causes that the spectral envelope of the synthesized high band



signal does not change with the spectral envelope of the high band signal in the original signal, and further causes a rustle in a restored voice signal.

The filtering unit **350** is configured to perform short-time post-filtering processing on the synthesized high band signal to obtain the short-time filtering signal, where, compared with the shape of the spectral envelope of the synthesized high band signal, the shape of the spectral envelope of the short-time filtering signal is closer to the shape of the spectral envelope of the high band signal. The following describes the filtering unit **350** with reference to FIG. 4.

FIG. 4 is a block diagram that schematically shows the filtering unit **350** in the encoding apparatus **300** according to an embodiment of the present invention.

The filtering unit **350** may include a pole-zero post-filter **410**, which is configured to perform filtering processing on the synthesized high band signal, where a coefficient of the pole-zero post-filter may be set based on the high frequency encoding parameter. In a case in which the high frequency encoding unit **330** performs encoding on the high band signal using an LPC technology, a z-domain transfer function of the pole-zero post-filter **410** may be shown in the foregoing formula (1). A shape of a spectral envelope of the synthesized high band signal that is processed by the pole-zero post-filter **410** is closer to the shape of the spectral envelope of the original high band signal, which avoids a rustle in a restored signal, thereby improving an encoding effect. Optionally, the filtering unit **350** may further include a first-order filter **420**, which is located behind the pole-zero post-filter. A z-domain transfer function of the first-order filter **420** may be shown in the foregoing formula (2). Compared with a short-time filtering signal that is obtained from filtering processing by the pole-zero post-filter **410** only, a change of a spectral envelope of a short-time filtering signal that is obtained from filtering processing by both the pole-zero post-filter **410** and the first-order filter **420** is closer to a change of the spectral envelope of the original high band signal, and an encoding effect can be further improved.

As a replacement of the filtering unit **350** shown in FIG. 4, an all-pole post-filter may further be used to perform short-time post-filtering processing to obtain the short-time filtering signal, where, compared with the shape of the spectral envelope of the synthesized high band signal, the shape of the spectral envelope of the short-time filtering signal is closer to the shape of the spectral envelope of the high band signal. In a case in which encoding is performed on the high band signal using the LPC technology, a z-domain transfer function of the all-pole post-filter may be shown in the foregoing formula (3).

For description of the filtering unit **350**, reference may be made to the foregoing description that is of **140** and is performed with reference to FIG. 1.

The calculation unit **360** calculates the high frequency gain based on the high band signal that is provided by the division unit and the short-time filtering signal that is output by the filtering unit **350**. The high frequency gain and the low frequency encoding parameter and the high frequency encoding parameter together constitute encoding information, which is used for signal restoration at a decoder side.

In addition, the encoding apparatus **300** may further include a bitstream generating unit, where the bitstream generating unit is configured to generate an encoding bitstream according to the low frequency encoding parameter, the high frequency encoding parameter, and the high frequency gain. The decoder side that receives the encoding bitstream may perform decoding based on the low frequency

encoding parameter, the high frequency encoding parameter, and the high frequency gain. For operations that are performed by units of the encoding apparatus shown in FIG. 3, reference may be made to the description that is of the encoding method and is performed with reference to FIG. 1.

In the foregoing encoding apparatus **300** according to this embodiment of the present invention, short-time post-filtering processing is performed on a synthesized high band signal to obtain a short-time filtering signal, and a high frequency gain is calculated based on the short-time filtering signal, which can reduce or even remove a rustle from a restored signal, and improve an encoding effect.

FIG. 5 is a block diagram that schematically shows a decoding apparatus **500** according to an embodiment of the present invention. The decoding apparatus **500** includes: a differentiating unit **510** configured to differentiate a low frequency encoding parameter, a high frequency encoding parameter, and a high frequency gain from encoded information; a low frequency decoding unit **520** configured to perform decoding on the low frequency encoding parameter to obtain a low band signal; a synthesizing unit **530** configured to obtain a synthesized high band signal according to the low frequency encoding parameter and the high frequency encoding parameter; a filtering unit **540** configured to perform short-time post-filtering processing on the synthesized high band signal to obtain a short-time filtering signal, where, compared with a shape of a spectral envelope of the synthesized high band signal, a shape of a spectral envelope of the short-time filtering signal is closer to a shape of a spectral envelope of the high band signal; a high frequency decoding unit **550** configured to adjust the short-time filtering signal using the high frequency gain to obtain a high band signal; and a combining unit **560** configured to combine the low band signal and the high band signal to obtain a final decoding signal.

The differentiating unit **510** differentiates the low frequency encoding parameter, the high frequency encoding parameter, and the high frequency gain from encoded information. The low frequency encoding parameter may include, for example, an algebraic codebook, an algebraic codebook gain, an adaptive codebook, an adaptive codebook gain, a pitch period, and another parameter, and the high frequency encoding parameter may include, for example, an LPC coefficient and another parameter. In addition, the low frequency encoding parameter and the high frequency encoding parameter may alternatively include another parameter according to a different encoding technology.

The low frequency decoding unit **520** uses a decoding manner corresponding to an encoding manner of an encoder side, and performs decoding on the low frequency encoding parameter to obtain the low band signal. For example, when an ACELP encoder is used at the encoder side to perform encoding, the low frequency decoding unit **520** uses an ACELP decoder to obtain the low band signal.

That an LPC coefficient (that is, the high frequency encoding parameter) is obtained using LPC analysis is used as an example. The synthesizing unit **530** uses the low frequency encoding parameter to restore a high frequency excitation signal, uses the LPC coefficient to generate a synthesized filter, and uses the synthesized filter to perform filtering on the high frequency excitation signal to obtain the synthesized high band signal. In practice, another technology may further be adopted according to a requirement so as to obtain the synthesized high band signal based on the low frequency encoding parameter and the high frequency encoding parameter.



A frequency spectrum of the high frequency excitation signal that is obtained by the synthesizing unit **530** by performing a prediction using the low frequency encoding parameter is flat; however, a frequency spectrum of an actual high frequency excitation signal is not flat. This difference causes that the spectral envelope of the synthesized high band signal does not change with the spectral envelope of the high band signal in an original signal, and further causes a rustle in a restored voice signal.

For example, a structure of the filtering unit **540** may be shown in FIG. 4. Alternatively, the filtering unit **540** may further use an all-pole post-filter to perform short-time post-filtering processing. In a case in which encoding is performed on the high band signal using an LPC technology, a z-domain transfer function of the all-pole post-filter may be shown in the foregoing formula (3). The filtering unit **540** is the same as the filtering unit **350** in FIG. 3; therefore, reference may be made to the foregoing description that is performed with reference to the filtering unit **350**.

Corresponding to an operation, in an encoding apparatus **300**, of calculating a high frequency gain based on a high band signal and a short-time filtering signal, the high frequency decoding unit **550** uses the high frequency gain to adjust the short-time filtering signal so as to obtain the high band signal.

In a combining manner corresponding to a dividing manner used by the division unit in the encoding apparatus **300**, the combining unit **560** combines the low band signal and the high band signal, thereby implementing decoding and obtaining a final output signal.

In the foregoing decoding apparatus **500** according to this embodiment of the present invention, short-time post-filtering processing is performed on a synthesized high band signal to obtain a short-time filtering signal, and a high frequency gain is calculated based on the short-time filtering signal, which can reduce or even remove a rustle from a restored signal, and improve a decoding effect.

FIG. 6 is a diagram block that schematically shows a transmitter **600** according to an embodiment of the present invention. The transmitter **600** in FIG. 6 may include an encoding apparatus **300** shown in FIG. 3, and therefore, repeated description is omitted as appropriate. In addition, the transmitter **600** may further include a transmit unit **610**, which is configured to allocate bits to a high frequency encoding parameter and a low frequency encoding parameter that are generated by the encoding apparatus **300**, so as to generate a bit stream, and transmit the bit stream.

FIG. 7 is a block diagram that schematically shows a receiver **700** according to an embodiment of the present invention. The receiver **700** in FIG. 7 may include a decoding apparatus **500** shown in FIG. 5, and therefore, repeated description is omitted as appropriate. In addition, the receiver **700** may further include a receive unit **710**, which is configured to receive an encoding signal for processing by the decoding apparatus **500**.

In another embodiment of the present invention, a communications system is further provided, which may include a transmitter **600** that is described with reference to FIG. 6 or a receiver **700** that is described with reference to FIG. 7.

FIG. 8 is a schematic block diagram of an apparatus according to another embodiment of the present invention. An apparatus **800** of FIG. 8 may be used to implement steps and methods in the foregoing method embodiments. The apparatus **800** may be applied to a base station or a terminal in various communications systems. In the embodiment of FIG. 8, the apparatus **800** includes a transmitting circuit **802**, a receiving circuit **803**, an encoding processor **804**, a decod-

ing processor **805**, a processing unit **806**, a memory **807**, and an antenna **801**. The processing unit **806** controls an operation of the apparatus **800**, and the processing unit **806** may further be referred to as a Central Processing Unit (CPU). The memory **807** may include a read-only memory and a random access memory, and provides an instruction and data for the processing unit **806**. A part of the memory **807** may further include a nonvolatile random access memory (NVRAM). In a specific application, the apparatus **800** may be built in a wireless communications device or the apparatus **800** itself may be a wireless communications device, such as a mobile phone, and the apparatus **800** may further include a carrier that accommodates the transmitting circuit **802** and the receiving circuit **803**, so as to allow data transmitting and receiving between the apparatus **800** and a remote location. The transmitting circuit **802** and the receiving circuit **803** may be coupled to the antenna **801**. Components of the apparatus **800** are coupled together using a bus system **809**, where in addition to a data bus, the bus system **809** further includes a power bus, a control bus, and a status signal bus. However, for clarity of description, various buses are marked as the bus system **809** in a figure. The apparatus **800** may further include the processing unit **806** for processing a signal, and in addition, further includes the encoding processor **804** and the decoding processor **805**.

The encoding method disclosed in the foregoing embodiments of the present invention may be applied to the encoding processor **804** or be implemented by the encoding processor **804**, and the decoding method disclosed in the foregoing embodiments of the present invention may be applied to the decoding processor **805** or be implemented by the decoding processor **805**. The encoding processor **804** or the decoding processor **805** may be an integrated circuit chip and has a signal processing capability. In an implementation process, steps in the foregoing methods may be completed by means of an integrated logic circuit of hardware in the encoding processor **804** or the decoding processor **805** or an instruction in a form of software. The instruction may be implemented or controlled by means of cooperation by the processor **806**, and is used to execute the method disclosed in the embodiments of the present invention. The foregoing decoding processor may be a general purpose processor, a digital signal processor (DSP), an application-specific integrated circuit (ASIC), a field programmable gate array (FPGA) or another programmable logic component, a discrete gate or a transistor logic component, or a discrete hardware assembly, and can implement or execute methods, steps, and logical block diagrams disclosed in the embodiments of the present invention. The general purpose processor may be a microprocessor, and the processor may also be any conventional processor, decoder, and the like. Steps of the methods disclosed with reference to the embodiments of the present invention may be directly executed and completed using a hardware decoding processor, or may be executed and completed using a combination of hardware and software modules in the decoding processor. A software module may be located in a mature storage medium in the art, such as a random access memory, a flash memory, a read-only memory, a programmable read-only memory, an electrically-erasable programmable memory, or a register. The storage medium is located in the memory **807**, and the encoding processor **804** or the decoding processor **805** reads information from the memory **807**, and completes the steps of the foregoing methods in combination with the hardware. For example, the memory **807** may store the obtained low



frequency encoding parameter for use by the encoding processor **804** or the decoding processor **805** during encoding or decoding.

For example, an encoding apparatus **300** in FIG. **3** may be implemented by the encoding processor **804**, and a decoding apparatus **500** in FIG. **5** may be implemented by the decoding processor **805**.

In addition, for example, a transmitter **600** in FIG. **6** may be implemented by the encoding processor **804**, the transmitting circuit **802**, the antenna **801**, and the like. A receiver **700** in FIG. **7** may be implemented by the antenna **801**, the receiving circuit **803**, the decoding processor **805**, and the like. However, the foregoing example is merely exemplary, and is not intended to limit the embodiments of the present invention on this specific implementation manner.

Specifically, the memory **807** stores an instruction that enables the processor **806** and/or the encoding processor **804** to implement the following operations: dividing a to-be-encoded time-domain signal into a low band signal and a high band signal; performing encoding on the low band signal to obtain a low frequency encoding parameter; performing encoding on the high band signal to obtain a high frequency encoding parameter, and obtaining a synthesized high band signal according to the low frequency encoding parameter and the high frequency encoding parameter; performing short-time post-filtering processing on the synthesized high band signal to obtain a short-time filtering signal, where, compared with a shape of a spectral envelope of the synthesized high band signal, a shape of a spectral envelope of the short-time filtering signal is closer to a shape of a spectral envelope of the high band signal; and calculating a high frequency gain based on the high band signal and the short-time filtering signal. The memory **807** stores an instruction that enables the processor **806** or the decoding processor **805** to implement the following operations: differentiating a low frequency encoding parameter, a high frequency encoding parameter, and a high frequency gain from encoded information; performing decoding on the low frequency encoding parameter to obtain a low band signal; obtaining a synthesized high band signal according to the low frequency encoding parameter and the high frequency encoding parameter; performing short-time post-filtering processing on the synthesized high band signal to obtain a short-time filtering signal, where, compared with a shape of a spectral envelope of the synthesized high band signal, a shape of a spectral envelope of the short-time filtering signal is closer to a shape of a spectral envelope of a high band signal; adjusting the short-time filtering signal using the high frequency gain to obtain a high band signal; and combining the low band signal and the high band signal to obtain a final decoding signal.

The communications system or communications apparatus according to the embodiments of the present invention may include a part of or all of the foregoing encoding apparatus **300**, transmitter **600**, decoding apparatus **500**, receiver **700**, and the like.

A person of ordinary skill in the art may be aware that, in combination with the examples described in the embodiments disclosed in this specification, units and algorithm steps may be implemented by electronic hardware or a combination of computer software and electronic hardware. Whether the functions are performed by hardware or software depends on particular applications and design constraint conditions of the technical solutions. A person skilled in the art may use different methods to implement the described functions for each particular application, but it

should not be considered that the implementation goes beyond the scope of the present invention.

It may be clearly understood by a person skilled in the art that, for the purpose of convenient and brief description, for a detailed working process of the foregoing system, apparatus, and unit, reference may be made to a corresponding process in the foregoing method embodiments, and details are not described herein again.

In the several embodiments provided in the present application, it should be understood that the disclosed system, apparatus, and method may be implemented in other manners. For example, the described apparatus embodiment is merely exemplary. For example, the unit division is merely logical function division and may be other division in actual implementation. For example, a plurality of units or components may be combined or integrated into another system, or some features may be ignored or not performed.

The units described as separate parts may or may not be physically separate, and parts displayed as units may or may not be physical units, may be located in one position, or may be distributed on a plurality of network units. Some or all of the units may be selected according to actual needs to achieve the objectives of the solutions of the embodiments.

The foregoing descriptions are merely specific implementation manners of the present invention, but are not intended to limit the protection scope of the present invention. Any variation or replacement readily figured out by a person skilled in the art within the technical scope disclosed in the present invention shall fall within the protection scope of the present invention. Therefore, the protection scope of the present invention shall be subject to the protection scope of the claims.

What is claimed is:

1. An encoding method for encoding a speech signal, comprising:

- dividing the speech signal into a low band signal and a high band signal;
- performing encoding on the low band signal to obtain a low frequency encoding parameter,
- performing encoding on the high band signal to obtain a high frequency encoding parameter,
- obtaining a synthesized high band signal according to the low frequency encoding parameter and the high frequency encoding parameter;
- performing short-time post-filtering processing on the synthesized high band signal to obtain a short-time filtered signal; and
- calculating a high frequency gain based on the high band signal and the short-time filtered signal.

2. The encoding method according to claim 1, wherein performing the short-time post-filtering processing on the synthesized high band signal comprises:

- setting a coefficient of a pole-zero post-filter based on the high frequency encoding parameter, and
- performing filtering processing on the synthesized high band signal using the pole-zero post-filter.

3. The encoding method according to claim 2, wherein performing the short-time post-filtering processing on the synthesized high band signal further comprises performing, using a first-order filter whose z-domain transfer function is  $H_f(z)=1-\mu z^{-1}$ , filtering processing on the synthesized high band signal that has been processed by the pole-zero post-filter after performing filtering processing on the synthesized high band signal using the pole-zero post-filter, and wherein  $\mu$  is a preset constant or a value obtained by adaptive



calculation that is performed according to the high frequency encoding parameter and the synthesized high band signal.

4. The encoding method according to claim 2, wherein performing encoding on the high band signal to obtain a high frequency encoding parameter comprises:

performing, using a linear predictive coding (LPC) technology, encoding on the high band signal to obtain an LPC coefficient; and

using the LPC coefficient as the high frequency encoding parameter,

wherein a z-domain transfer function of the pole-zero post-filter is calculated using the following formula:

$$H_s(z) = \frac{1 - a_1\beta z^{-1} - a_2\beta^2 z^{-2} - \dots - a_M\beta^M z^{-M}}{1 - a_1\gamma z^{-1} - a_2\gamma^2 z^{-2} - \dots - a_M\gamma^M z^{-M}},$$

and

wherein  $a_1, a_2, \dots, a_M$  is the LPC coefficient, M is an order of the LPC coefficient, and  $\beta$  and  $\gamma$  are preset constants and satisfy  $0 < \beta < \gamma < 1$ .

5. The encoding method according to claim 1, further comprising generating an encoding bitstream according to the low frequency encoding parameter, the high frequency encoding parameter, and the high frequency gain.

6. A decoding method for decoding a speech signal, comprising:

differentiating a low frequency encoding parameter, a high frequency encoding parameter, and a high frequency gain from encoded information;

performing decoding on the low frequency encoding parameter to obtain a low band signal of the speech signal;

obtaining a synthesized high band signal according to the low frequency encoding parameter and the high frequency encoding parameter;

performing short-time post-filtering processing on the synthesized high band signal to obtain a short-time filtered signal, wherein the shape of a spectral envelope of the short-time filtered signal is closer to a shape of a spectral envelope of the high band signal compared with the shape of a spectral envelope of the synthesized high band signal;

adjusting the short-time filtered signal using the high frequency gain to obtain a high band signal; and

combining the low band signal of the speech signal and the high band signal to obtain a decoded signal.

7. The decoding method according to claim 6, wherein performing the short-time post-filtering processing on the synthesized high band signal comprises:

setting a coefficient of a pole-zero post-filter based on the high frequency encoding parameter; and

performing filtering processing on the synthesized high band signal using the pole-zero post-filter.

8. The decoding method according to claim 7, wherein performing the short-time post-filtering processing on the synthesized high band signal further comprises performing, using a first-order filter whose z-domain transfer function is  $H_f(z) = 1 - \mu z^{-1}$ , filtering processing on the synthesized high band signal that has been processed by the pole-zero post-filter after performing filtering processing on the synthesized high band signal using the pole-zero post-filter, and wherein  $\mu$  is a preset constant or a value obtained by adaptive

calculation that is performed according to the high frequency encoding parameter and the synthesized high band signal.

9. The decoding method according to claim 7, wherein the high frequency encoding parameter comprises:

a linear predictive coding (LPC) coefficient that is obtained by performing encoding using an LPC technology; and

a z-domain transfer function of the pole-zero post-filter is calculated using the following formula:

$$H_s(z) = \frac{1 - a_1\beta z^{-1} - a_2\beta^2 z^{-2} - \dots - a_M\beta^M z^{-M}}{1 - a_1\gamma z^{-1} - a_2\gamma^2 z^{-2} - \dots - a_M\gamma^M z^{-M}},$$

and

wherein  $a_1, a_2, \dots, a_M$  is the LPC coefficient, M is an order of the LPC coefficient, and  $\beta$  and  $\gamma$  are preset constants and satisfy  $0 < \beta < \gamma < 1$ .

10. An encoding apparatus for encoding a speech signal, comprising:

a memory that includes instructions:

at least one processor coupled to the memory and configured to receive the instructions, wherein when executing the instructions, the processor is configured to:

divide the speech signal into a low band signal and a high band signal;

perform encoding on the low band signal to obtain a low frequency encoding parameter;

perform encoding on the high band signal to obtain a high frequency encoding parameter; and

obtain a synthesized high band signal according to the low frequency encoding parameter and the high frequency encoding parameter, and

a filter coupled to the processor and configured to perform short-time post-filtering processing on the synthesized high band signal to obtain a short-time filtered signal, wherein when executing the instructions, the processor is further configured to calculate a high frequency gain based on the high band signal and the short-time filtered signal.

11. The encoding apparatus according to claim 10, wherein the filter comprises a pole-zero post-filter configured to perform filtering processing on the synthesized high band signal, and wherein a coefficient of the pole-zero post-filter is set based on the high frequency encoding parameter.

12. The encoding apparatus according to claim 11, wherein the filter further comprises a first-order filter that is located behind the pole-zero post-filter and whose z-domain transfer function is  $H_f(z) = 1 - \mu z^{-1}$  and that is configured to perform filtering processing on the synthesized high band signal that has been processed by the pole-zero post-filter, and wherein  $\mu$  is a preset constant or a value obtained by adaptive calculation that is performed according to the high frequency encoding parameter and the synthesized high band signal.

13. The encoding apparatus according to claim 11, wherein when executing the instructions, the processor is further configured to perform encoding on the high band signal using a linear predictive coding (LPC) technology to obtain an LPC coefficient, wherein the processor uses the LPC coefficient as the high frequency encoding parameter, wherein a z-domain transfer function of the pole-zero post-filter is calculated using the following formula:



$$H_s(z) = \frac{1 - a_1 \beta z^{-1} - a_2 \beta^2 z^{-2} - \dots - a_M \beta^M z^{-M}}{1 - a_1 \gamma z^{-1} - a_2 \gamma^2 z^{-2} - \dots - a_M \gamma^M z^{-M}},$$

and wherein  $a_1, a_2, \dots, a_M$  is the LPC coefficient,  $M$  is an order of the LPC coefficient, and  $\beta$  and  $\gamma$  are preset constants and satisfy  $0 < \beta < \gamma < 1$ .

**14.** The encoding apparatus according to claim **10**, wherein when executing the instructions, the processor is further configured to generate an encoding bitstream according to the low frequency encoding parameter, the high frequency encoding parameter, and the high frequency gain.

**15.** A decoding apparatus for decoding a speech signal, comprising:

a memory that includes instructions;

at least one processor coupled to the memory and configured to receive the instructions, wherein when executing the instructions, the at least one processor is configured to:

differentiate a low frequency encoding parameter, a high frequency encoding parameter, and a high frequency gain from encoded information;

perform decoding on the low frequency encoding parameter to obtain a low band signal of the speech signal; and

obtain a synthesized high band signal according to the low frequency encoding parameter and the high frequency encoding parameter; and

a filter coupled to the processor and configured to perform short-time post-filtering processing on the synthesized high band signal to obtain a short-time filtered signal, wherein the shape of a spectral envelope of the short-time filtered signal is closer to the shape of a spectral envelope of a high band signal when compared with the shape of a spectral envelope of the synthesized high band signal, and

wherein when executing the instructions, the at least one processor is further configured to:

adjust the short-time filtered signal using the high frequency gain to obtain a high band signal; and

combine the low band signal of the speech signal and the high band signal to obtain a decoded signal.

**16.** The decoding apparatus according to claim **15**, wherein the filter comprises a pole-zero post-filter configured to perform filtering processing on the synthesized high band signal, and wherein a coefficient of the pole-zero post-filter is set based on the high frequency encoding parameter.

**17.** The decoding apparatus according to claim **16**, wherein the filter further comprises a first-order filter that is located behind the pole-zero post-filter and whose z-domain transfer function is  $H_f(z) = 1 - z^{-1}$  and that is configured to perform filtering processing on the synthesized high band signal that has been processed by the pole-zero post-filter, and wherein  $\mu$  is a preset constant or a value obtained by adaptive calculation that is performed according to the high frequency encoding parameter and the synthesized high band signal.

**18.** The decoding apparatus according to claim **16**, wherein the high frequency encoding parameter is an LPC coefficient that is obtained using a linear predictive coding (LPC) technology, wherein a z-domain transfer function of the pole-zero post-filter is calculated using the following formula:

$$H_s(z) = \frac{1 - a_1 \beta z^{-1} - a_2 \beta^2 z^{-2} - \dots - a_M \beta^M z^{-M}}{1 - a_1 \gamma z^{-1} - a_2 \gamma^2 z^{-2} - \dots - a_M \gamma^M z^{-M}},$$

and wherein  $a_1, a_2, \dots, a_M$  is the LPC coefficient,  $M$  is an order of the LPC coefficient, and  $\beta$  and  $\gamma$  are preset constants and satisfy  $0 < \beta < \gamma < 1$ .

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